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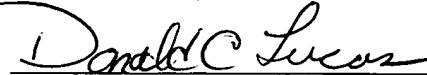
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Enclosed are three published Japanese Patent applications along with English Abstracts thereof. These three references are cited in the application on page 3, lines 4, 9 and page 5, line 11. These three references are deemed to cover all the prior art disclosed in the "Description of the Related Art" discussed in the Application. Other references cited in the "Description of the Related Art" of the application are deemed cumulative to the three cited references herein.

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